



Republic of the Philippines
Province of Oriental Mindoro
CITY OF CALAPAN

OFFICE OF THE SANGGUNIANG PANLUNGSOD

EXCERPT FROM THE MINUTES OF THE 2ND SPECIAL SESSION OF THE 8TH SANGGUNIANG PANLUNGSOD OF THE CITY OF CALAPAN HELD ON THE 17TH DAY OF MARCH 2020 AT THE SANGGUNIANG PANLUNGSOD SESSION HALL.

PRESENT:

Hon. Gil G. Ramirez	Presiding Officer / City Vice Mayor
Hon. Mary Pauline Mylene A. De Jesus	Member
Hon. Charles O. Pansoy	Member
Hon. Rafael Jr. E. Panaligan	Member
Hon. Genie R. Fortu	Member
Hon. Farrah Fay C. Ilano	Member
Hon. Jocelyn U. Neria	Member
Hon. Ronalee E. Leachon	Member
Hon. Roberto L. Concepcion	Member
Hon. Rius Anthony C. Agua	Member
Hon. Marian Teresa G. Tagupa	Member
Hon. Dennis A. Rojas	President
	Liga ng mga Barangay
Hon. Noel C. Cirujano	President
	SK Federation

RESOLUTION NO. 371

Series of 2020

RESOLUTION DECLARING THE ENTIRE CITY OF CALAPAN UNDER A STATE OF CALAMITY DUE TO THE THREATS OF CORONA VIRUS DISEASE (COVID 19) AND ITS EFFECT TO THE CITIZENS OF CALAPAN AND FOR THE RELEASE OF THE CALAMITY FUND SUBJECT TO APPLICABLE LAWS, RULES AND REGULATION.

WHEREAS, the President of the Republic of the Philippines, President Rodrigo Roa Duterte has declared a State of Public Health Emergency through Proclamation No. 922 and afterwards place the entire Luzon under Enhanced Community Quarantine;

WHEREAS, under Republic Act No. 10121, a Local government unit is empowered to declare a State of Calamity within its territorial jurisdiction upon the recommendation of its local disaster risk reduction and management council (LDRRMC) based on the results of the damage assessments and needs analysis, for purposes of implementing the remedial measures as provided for by section 17 of the same act, Moreover such declaration shall also allow the city to utilize its quick response fund in accordance with Section 21 thereof;

WHEREAS, the Office of the City Mayor, after the City Disaster Risk Reduction Management Council (CDRRMC) Meeting held on March 17, 2020, indorsed a Letter of Request requesting for a passage of a Resolution endorsed by the same Council as DRRMC Resolution No. 01-2020;



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WHEREAS, Section 2 of the same Proclamation states that, "All government agencies and local government units are hereby required to render full assistance and cooperation and mobilize the necessary resources to undertake critical, urgent, and appropriate response and measures in a timely manner to curtail and eliminate the COVID-19 threat;

WHEREAS, the Memorandum from the Executive Secretary directs to adopt, coordinate and implement the guidelines on the imposition of an Enhanced Community Quarantine and Stringent Social Distancing Measures over entire Luzon;

WHEREAS, NDRRMC Memorandum Order No. 60, s. 2019, provides Criteria for Declaration of a State of Calamity, to wit:

- At least fifteen percent (15) of the forecasted affected population based on science-based projection are in need of emergency assistance;
- At least thirty percent (30%) of the means of livelihood on agricultural, business, and industrial sectors are affected; and
- When there is an extremely high incidence of a certain disease whether communicable or non-communicable within a community, in a specific period of time, specific health-related behavior, or other health related events clearly beyond normal expectancy.

WHEREAS, after the declaration of the President and the Memorandum of Executive Secretary, the entire populace of the City of Calapan experience massive panic buying for fear of hunger as the immediate result of the enhanced community quarantine due to incidence of COVID-19;

WHEREAS, a large majority of the people of Calapan City who depend their livelihood on the transport sector, agriculture, retail and wholesale trades and other industries were immediately observed to be imminently in danger of not being able to earn a living to sustain their daily subsistence resulting from the ban of all transport owners and operators in the streets of the city and closure of several business establishments further resulted in their social and economic paralysis;

WHEREAS, the initiative of the City Government of Calapan to abide by the standing Proclamation of the President and the Memorandum of the Executive Secretary is expected to linger unless otherwise the enhanced quarantine is suspended and/or lifted;

WHEREAS, the City Disaster Risk Reduction and Management Council (CDRRMC) of the City of Calapan recommended the passage of a resolution by the Sangguniang Panlungsod declaring the City of Calapan under a State of Calamity to utilize the LDRRM funds;



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NOW, THEREFORE, on mass motion led by Hon. JOCELYN U. NERIA duly seconded by all members present.

RESOLVED, as it is **HEREBY RESOLVED**, to declare as it hereby declares the entire City of Calapan under a **STATE OF CALAMITY** DUE TO THE **THREATS OF CORONA VIRUS DISEASE (COVID 19)** AND ITS EFFECT TO THE **CITIZENS OF CALAPAN** AND FOR THE **RELEASE OF THE CALAMITY FUND** SUBJECT TO **APPLICABLE LAWS, RULES AND REGULATION**.

RESOLVED FURTHER, that in line with the declaration of state of calamity. The following shall be implemented/observed:

- a. There shall be an extension on the deadline for the renewal of tricycle franchise until May 31, 2020;
- b. Market stall fees shall be condoned during the month of March 2020;
- c. There shall be no penalty or surcharges for the late payment of quarterly business permit until June 2020;
- d. The requirement of death certificate and burial permit for interment shall be temporarily waived during the enhanced community quarantine.

RESOLVED FURTHERMORE, that copies of this resolution be furnished City Mayor, Hon. Arnan C. Panaligan; the City Treasury Department, the City Budget Department, the City Accounting and Internal Audit Department, the City Social Welfare and Development Department and all Barangays concerned for their information and guidance.

THIS RESOLUTION WAS UNANIMOUSLY APPROVED.

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I HEREBY CERTIFY to the correctness of the above-quoted resolution.

ATTY. HARVEY ECKER A. ZAMORA
Secretary to the
Sangguniang Panlungsod

MP MYLENE A. DE JESUS
Member

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ATTESTED BY:

Engr. Gil G. Ramirez
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Presiding Officer/City Vice Mayor

APPROVED:

Atty. Arnan C. Panaligan
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City Mayor